

BACK

Over the Great Wall
the Chinese

Were Repulsed

And Driven Off and
Away in Disorder.Four Hard Engagements
Fought by the Inter-
national Troops.Celestials Occupied Strong Positions
But were Unable to Hold
Them Against the Allied
Forces.

Berlin, April 28.—The German war office has received the following address from Count Von Walderssee, commander of the allied troops at Peking: "Three engagements occurred April 22, and a fourth April 24, at the great wall, between four columns under General Ketteler and the Chinese troops under General Liu. The Chinese were everywhere defeated, and after a stubborn resistance were forced back over the wall, being pursued as far as Ku Kuan. Our casualties were four officers wounded and three men killed and 22 wounded. The French troops were not engaged. General Ketteler's brigade, reinforced, marched in four columns against the great wall, then those commanded by Colonel Hoffmeister, Colonel Walmschlag and Major Huchbuehl. Ledebur reached the wall April 24, after a slight engagement. On the same day Huchbuehl's column occupied a position on the heights overlooking the pass. The enemy fought stubbornly, in a particularly strong position, which was only taken after 10 hours fighting. Huchbuehl and Lieutenant Richard were slightly wounded, and Lieutenant Drewells was severely wounded. A standard-bearer and another were killed, and six men severely and 10 slightly wounded. Walmschlag attacked and dispersed April 23, a far superior force of the enemy in a strong position east of the breach of Hae Ho, and effected a junction on the battlefield with the battalion under Major Nueimann, from Tsing Ching, where the pursuit overtook the enemy in a fresh position to the south. This was captured and the enemy were pursued as far as Ku Kuan. Walmschlag followed them closely. The enemy suffered severely. Eleven died and two quick-firers were captured. On our side one man was killed and three were severely wounded and nine slightly. Lieutenant Deutberg was shot through the right arm. The enemy are everywhere in retreat. General Von Lessel has arranged with General Baillou that the French troops shall occupy Ku Kuan for the present and secure his left flank. Ketteler's brigade is marching by short stages to Pao Tung Fu, and Huchbuehl's battalion along the mountain to Peking."

The report of General Ketteler, received here from Kuo Lu, differs from the other reports concerning the German-French expedition previously received. General Ketteler's report shows that the Chinese troops did not leave the place till they were forced to do so. Li Hung Chang says it is impossible to believe that General Kuo Kwang Ting could have so flagrantly disobeyed his orders, and anxiously awaits the Chinese report of the encounter referred to by General Ketteler. Li Hung Chang paid return calls to the different legations, and congratulated Special Commissioner Rockhill on the stand taken by the Americans in the matter of indemnity. It is not generally thought among the ministry of the powers that Mr. Rockhill's effort in this direction will prove successful. Nine Chinamen were executed in the American district for highway robbery and violence. The men in question were tried and sentenced according to Chinese law, but they are the first of such sentences to be approved by General Chanse.

Presbyterian Creed. St. Louis, Mo., April 29.—The Rev. Dr. Dickey of Philadelphia, moderator of the Presbyterian general assembly and member of the committee on creed revision, which made a report Friday, is in the city. When seen in regard to the committee's report, Dr. Dickey said: "Personally I do not think the recommendation of the committee on creed revision, if accepted by the Presbyterian church, would mean any change in our dogmas. The recommendations attempt only to ex-

plain some points of faith that are not fully understood, and emphasize others that are inadequately appreciated."

Reception to Conger. Omaha, April 29.—All preparations have been made for the reception of Minister Edwin H. Conger at Council Bluffs on Wednesday. At the banquet Governor Shaw, Senator Dilliver, A. B. Cummins, Mayor Jennings and others will respond to toasts. Special trains will come from Des Moines to welcome the Iowa to his home state.

Jennings Jumps. Philadelphia, April 29.—Hugh Jennings will join the Philadelphia American league club on June 5, when his contract with Cornell university will expire. The agreement to come to Philadelphia was made at Ithaca with Ben Johnson, president of the American league.

Run Down. Benkelman, Neb., April 29.—Theodore Moore, the man who shot Sheriff Richards and escaped from jail, has been captured. Sheriff Richards will probably recover.

CANDLER

Says He Has Been Badly
MisquotedIn the Reports Sent to North-
ern Newspapers.Did Not Say the People of the
South "Would Not Have the
Assistance of the Yankees
in This Matter."

Atlanta, April 29.—Governor Allan D. Candler made a statement regarding his reported utterances at Savannah on the negro question, which were sent to many northern papers. The governor says there are many exaggerations in the clippings from the papers which have reached him, but that his remarks as published first in the Savannah papers are substantially correct. "However," said the governor, "the statement that I said that 'the people of the south did not need, did not want and would not have the assistance of the damned Yankees in this matter,' as published in some papers, is absolutely false."

RHODES

The South African Million-
aire and Statesman,Narrowly Escapes Being Captured
by Boers Who Blew Up Track
in Front of His Train.

Cape Town, April 29.—Cecil Rhodes, the South African statesman and millionaire, narrowly escaped being captured by the Boers near Kimberly. The Boers blew up the railroad track in front of his train. He succeeded, however in making his escape.

Hoss and Hoss. London, April 29.—Lord Kitchener reports that his brother, Gen. Kitchener, captured a Laager at Klipdam, with seven Boers killed, and 37 prisoners. Eight thousand pounds of ammunition and all their wagons were also taken. Klipdam is near Petersburg, the late Boer capital.

MAY HAVE BRAINS

If He is Only a Poor, Humble Knight
of the Pencil Pushers.

Budapest, April 29.—Addison C. Harris, the retiring United States minister to Austria and Hungary, presented the new minister from the United States, Robert McCormick, to Emperor King Francis Joseph at 11 a. m. today. The appointment of Mr. McCormick as minister to Austria-Hungary was received with much disfavor by the influential portion of Austrian press. The only objection made was that Mr. McCormick was simply a journalist.

GENERAL WOOD

Dodges the Jacksonville Reporters and
Embarks For Cuba.

Jacksonville, Fla., April 29.—General Leonard Wood arrived from Washington last evening at 5 o'clock on a special train and was immediately taken on board the despatch boat Kanawah, which left at once for Cuba. She is expected to arrive there Tuesday noon. General Wood dodged all reporters while here and got on board the vessel unobserved.

The Weather.

Washington, April 29.—For Ohio fair tonight and Tuesday.

CAMP

Of Filipinos was
Surprised

By U. S. Troops

Officers, Men and Sup-
plies CapturedBut Gen. Cailles, the Leader
of the Band, Managed
to Escape.Valuable Papers Among the Articles
Captured, Being Property of
General Aguinaldo's
Successor.

Manila, April 29.—Captain Wilson Chase, with a detachment of the Twenty-first infantry, on April 26 surprised the camp of the insurgent General Cailles at Dugot, in the province of Laguna. Cailles was at his camp at the time of the American attack, but managed to escape. Captain Chase's force captured his adjutant general, five others of his staff officers, 14 men, 20 rifles, a large amount of ammunition and stores and all the papers and personal effects of the Filipino general. Insurgent Major Velez was killed during the engagement, as were Corporal McGill and Private Tippetts, both belonging to Company A of the Twenty-first. Several columns of American troops continue vigorously to pursue General Cailles. General Cailles recently offered a reward of \$10,000 for the head of Captain Edward N. Jones, Jr., of the Eighth cavalry.

For more than a year past Cailles has commanded the insurgent forces operating to the east of Bay lake, not far from Manila. He is said to be a French half-caste. He has a reputation for vindictiveness and cruelty, and is one of the two or three Filipino leaders still in the field who have clearly ignored the observances of honorable warfare. The Society of Mando-Ducats, whose practice it was to assassinate and bury alive those of their countrymen who accepted American sovereignty whenever the latter fell into their hands, operated with the cognizance, if not the support of General Cailles. If Cailles were captured it is doubtful if he could claim immunity for past actions under the terms of the amnesty. In January of this year Cailles offered a reward of \$10 a piece for the heads of all Americans brought to him.

Beet Sugar Factories.

Washington, April 29.—C. F. Saylor, the special agent in charge of the beet sugar investigation of the department of agriculture, is in Washington, and has submitted his report to Secretary Wilson. He says this year shows a very active tendency toward the institution of new beet sugar enterprises. Next autumn, he says, Michigan will have three new factories, and Ohio, Indiana, New York, Colorado, Utah, South and North Dakota and Illinois will install new factory enterprises, making 13 throughout the United States now in contemplation. Everything indicates that the industry is thoroughly established throughout the country.

Affray at a Dance.

Gilman, Ill., April 29.—At a country dance, three miles south of Gilman, the three Morris brothers, Walter, James and Philip, from this city, were shot. Walter died; the other two were wounded. The shooting followed a fight between the brothers and three or four other guests at the dance. George Morrison did the shooting. He gave himself up to the sheriff, and claims he fired in self-defense.

New Labor League.

Chicago, April 29.—An Arbitration of all disputes and opposition to sympathetic strikes are the foundation principles of a new central labor body to be known as the Chicago Building Trades league, which has been organized here. The new organization is backed by 15 of the 18 strong trades in the building industry, representing 15,000 workmen.

Pickpocket Shot.

Chicago, April 29.—While trying to escape arrest for snatching a woman's purse, Richard Donahue, a notorious pickpocket, was shot and instantly killed by Policeman Gardner. Donahue was accompanied by three companions, but the latter managed to escape. The four thieves had been working in a crowd of several hundred people who were watching a fire.

Paper Plant Gutted.

Duluth, April 29.—Fire destroyed the building and stock of the Zenith Paper company, causing a loss of about \$50,000. Buildings adjoining were damaged \$10,000, the Duluth Paper company, which had \$7,000 stock in warehouse next to the Zenith company, being the principal sufferer.

MYSTERY

That Surrounded the
DisappearanceOf a Young Man from Jewell
County, Kas.,May be Cleared as a Result of the
Arrest of the Man With Whom
He was Last Seen Alive
Last August.

Salina, Kan., April 29.—Frederick Kinney, a young farmer of Jewell county, has been missing since last August, and it is feared he has been murdered. Henry Freeman, 20, now in jail at Wichita, was with Kinney when he was last seen alive, near Beloit, Kan., the two traveling in a wagon. Freeman is known to have sold Kinney's outfit. Four weeks ago the elder Kinney received a letter dated Wichita, telling him that his son was in trouble, and requesting him to send \$300 immediately to "C. M. Jones." Kinney placed the letter in the hands of a detective and a decoy letter was sent. It was taken from the postoffice by a man who, when traced by a detective to Abilene, arrested on a charge of using the mails to defraud, and returned to Wichita, proved to be Freeman.

START

Of the Presidents' Trans-
continental JunketWas Started This Morning With
Fat Marcus' Car Hanging Onto
the Rear End of the Train.

Washington, April 29.—The Presidential special, with its forty passengers, was cheered by a large crowd when it left the Pennsylvania station at 10:50 o'clock this morning for a 10,000 mile trip. Both the President and his wife seemed in excellent health and eager for the journey. The only distinguished mark of the special is the President's "52" in miniature waving from the staff on the locomotive. Mark's own car is the last on the train. In this car the President, his wife and his niece, Miss Barber, will have their meals served. The others will eat in the regular diner. Ten hours ahead of the special the main track will be cleared of all freights. The pilot engine will go five miles ahead of the special and one will follow a few miles behind. For the next 30 days at least the United States government will be on wheels.

Only four members of the cabinet accompanied the President from Washington. Secretary of state Hay, secretary of the Interior, Hitchcock, secretary of Agriculture Wilson, and Postmaster General Smith. Secretary of the Navy, Long, is in Colorado with his family and will join the Presidential party later. Secretaries Root and Gage, with their wives and Attorney General Knox will remain in Washington. Secretary Root will practically be the head of the government in the capital during the President's absence.

DESPERADOES

Dynamite a Block at Ashtabula For
Purpose of Robbery.

Ashtabula, O., April 29.—Robbers and incendiaries operated here this morning and caused a loss of twenty thousand dollars worth of property. A dynamite explosion in the Richards and Horrick block, set the building afire. It was totally destroyed and so was the adjoining building. It is impossible to tell what the robbers got away with, as the destruction was complete.

LEGISLATURE

Will Introduce a Bill to Repeal the
"Insanity Divorce" Bill.

Tallahassee, Florida, April 29.—Bills will be introduced in both Senate and House today, repealing the "Insanity Divorce" bill recently passed by the legislature. Adverse comment on the measure has prompted this, and it is said the fight on the question will be hot, as the legislators are worked up on the measure.

Village Blaze.

Saranac Lake, N. Y., April 29.—Fire caught in the drying room of the Branch & Callahan mill, in the center of this village. The mill, four store houses and 500,000 feet of lumber were destroyed. Several of the dwelling houses and two freight cars were damaged. The total loss will be \$150,000.

FIRE

Does Deadly Work
in Houston.

Loss of Life

And Property was Very
Serious.Five Persons Burned to Death
and Several Buildings
Destroyed.A Negro Who Had Been Discharged
by His Employer, Suspected
of Having Started Blaze
for Revenge.

Houston, Tex., April 29.—In a fire which destroyed a livery stable and three residences, five persons were burned to death, Job Copping, a florist, his wife and three children. A negro has been arrested on the charge of having started the fire to get revenge on his employer for having discharged him. In the ruins were found the bodies of the victims, among them being an infant which had been born to Mrs. Copping during the progress of the fire. Its body was found with its mother's. Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Hopper jumped from the burning building, and both were badly injured. The fire started in a livery stable, over which several families lived. The building was a mere shell and was a mass of flames when the firemen arrived. A crippled widow, Mrs. Thompson, escaped from the building, and says she saw the Copping family run back into their room from the hallway, and that was the last seen of them alive. The Hoppers were cut off from escape by the stairs and jumped. Mr. Hopper's leg being fractured and Mrs. Hopper receiving internal injuries.

Dog the Cause of It.

Birmingham, Ala., April 29.—A dog was the cause of a bloody fight three miles below Oxford, in which four persons participated, J. W. House and son Gus, and W. N. Johnson and his 14-year-old son. Both the Houses and the elder Johnson were shot with Winchester rifles and one was dangerously wounded. The elder House had killed a dog of Johnson's. Johnson pursued House and shot him twice through the stomach. Gus House, seeing the trouble, seized a gun and shot the elder Johnson, and was immediately shot by the 14-year-old son of Johnson, who escaped injury.

Miners Caught.

Latrobe, Pa., April 29.—It is rumored that in a fire which destroyed the tipple, boiler house and engine house of the Dorothy coal and coke plant of the American Steel and Wire company, four and possibly six miners lost their lives. At this time the rumor cannot be verified. The loss is estimated at \$150,000. Two persons were injured. It is feared that six more were in the shaft and perished. Thirty-nine miles were at the bottom of the shaft and these have undoubtedly burned to death. The fire will cause 400 miners to be thrown out of work.

Hanged Himself.

Darlington, Ind., April 29.—George Seybold, one of the most prominent men in Montgomery county, was found here hanging by the neck from a rafter in his barn. No cause could be given by members of his family for the rash act, except that it could be some financial difficulty the gravity of which they were not aware. Mr. Seybold owned a large hardware store here. He had an interest in a bank and was otherwise interested in business affairs.

Double Tragedy.

Savannah, April 29.—At Meldrim, Ga., Joseph King, a negro porter on the Seaboard Air line, was fatally shot by a negro tramp who was stealing a ride. The tramp was trying to kill Baggageman Degraffenreid when King went to his assistance and shot the tramp. A dispatch from Pembroke, Ga., says the tramp, whose name was John Henry, walked to that place, badly wounded by King's bullets, and died.

Slaughter House Burned.

Chattanooga, April 29.—The slaughter house and cold storage plant of the Scholze Brothers' Packing company burned. Loss \$75,000. The fire exploded several tanks of chemicals in the ice factory and cold storage plant, the firemen escaping twice almost miraculously. Both plants will be rebuilt at once.

Asphyxiated.

Chicago, April 29.—W. R. Dunnica, a prominent real estate and stock broker of Waco, Tex., was found dead in his room here. Death was caused by asphyxiation, and it is believed was accidental. The victim, who was 55 years old, came here a few days ago

to secure medical treatment, having been an invalid for several years.

Perished in the Fire. Fond Du Lac, Wis., April 29.—Israel Raymond, watchman at the Gurney refrigerator factory, which burned, lost his life in the fire. His body has not been recovered. The revised estimate of the property loss is \$150,000, partially insured.

Threw Himself Under a Train. Cleveland, April 29.—Joseph Glenning of Chicago committed suicide by throwing himself underneath a freight train in the Lakeshore yards at Collinwood. Glenning was between 60 and 70 years old and a veteran of the civil war.

Fires Under Control. Hyannis, Neb., April 29.—The prairie fires that for four days have been raging over this section of the state are now nearly under control. Only one head fire is still doing much damage. It is south of the town of Mullien.

Postmaster Called. Buffalo, April 29.—Postmaster Samuel F. Dorr is dead of heart disease.

DOUBTED

Is the Story About Boer
EmissariesInoculating Horses Sent to
South Africa,But the Department Admits the
Possibility of Such Work Be-
ing Done by Hostlers on
Board Ships.

Washington, April 29.—The department of agriculture has no information bearing on the reports that have been circulated in England charging Boer emissaries with inoculating horses shipped to South Africa with glanders and other maladies. Secretary Wilson places no credence in the story. He says, however, that it is possible it might have been done, probably by hostlers or other attendants aboard ship, if at all. There has been no examination of horse shipments by the department's representatives, as the British agents never have requested such inspection.

PATHETIC

Appeal is Issued by Father
Miller, of New York,For the Return of the Missing Wil-
lie McCormick, to Save His
Parents from Insanity.

New York, April 29.—J. A. Mullin, of Sacred Heart Roman Catholic church, who offered ten thousand dollars for the return of Willie McCormick, today published broadcast, a pathetic letter addressed to the missing boy. The letter in part reads: "To Willie McCormick: 'If you are alive, sick or well, write me or send some word that your parents may be spared from insanity, and perhaps death. You will not be punished. I, as your father in the church, promise that you will be given back to the arms of your family.'"

J. P. MORGAN

Adds Another Link to the Chain of the
Big Steel Trust.

Leeds, England, April 29.—J. P. Morgan has bought the Leland line of steamers, only surpassed in numbers by one other British fleet. Morgan will use this line in connection with the American railways for the transportation of steel products, thus controlling steel products from the mine to the purchaser at destinations in England. The English papers consider this another link in the chain which Morgan is forging about the English iron masters.

Culvert Collapsed.

Peking, April 29.—While the first train from Peking to Tien Tsun was traversing the bridge between Lo Pa and Ying Tsun, it was derailed by the collapse of a culvert. Eleven Chinese were killed and 40 Chinese and 20 Americans injured. One of the Americans cannot be recovered.

Eaten by Cannibals.

Sydney, April 29.—Herr Mercke, a German millionaire, who was cruising in his yacht, and Herr Caro, his private secretary, were recently murdered by natives of the island of New Britain, off the northeast coast of Papua. Herr Caro's body was eaten.

Record of the Plague.

Cape Town, April 29.—During the last 48 hours 16 fresh cases of the bubonic plague have been officially reported. Eight of these are Europeans. Since the outbreak of the disease there have been 318 cases, of which 217 have proved fatal.

JURY

Was Roasted by the
Court

For Returning

A Verdict Acquitting
Callahan.The Prisoner Immediately
Rearrested on Two
Other Counts.Judge Baker Told the Jurors That
He Hoped None of Them
Would Ever Again Appear
in the Jury Box.

Omaha, April 29.—The jury announced that James Callahan had no part in the kidnapping of Edward G. Galt, though the verdict was an evident surprise to the court, and Judge Baker expressed his disgust in emphatic terms. Callahan was immediately arrested on two other counts which the state is not now prepared to say will be made use of, as no new evidence is at hand and the expense of going over the ground again is considerable. As the words "not guilty" were pronounced in court Callahan half rose to his feet and smiled. His relief found no sympathy among the audience, however, and he turned his eyes gratefully toward the jury. Judge Baker studied the wording of the verdict for several minutes in silence, as though he had doubted the evidence of his ears. Then he rebuked the jury severely.

"If Callahan had made his own choice of a jury," said Judge Baker, "he could not have selected 12 men who could have served him more faithfully. The jury is discharged without the compliments of the court, and the prisoner is likewise released, as to this trial, I presume to continue the criminal practice in which you have failed to check him. I do not know what motive actuated you in reaching this decision, but I hope none of you will ever appear again in this jury box."

With Seals.

St. Johns, N. F., April 29.—The sealing steamer Kite, for whose safety some fear had been felt, reached port with 10,000 seals, almost a full load. She lost 1,400 when frozen between floes. During the early part of the season she steamed through immense herds of seals, but the ice was too broken to allow the crew to hunt them. She was nipped by floes near the shore finally, and her coal being exhausted, was obliged to depend upon her sails to reach port.

Father of the Telegraph.

New York, April 29.—James Douglas Reid, known to telegraphers throughout the country as "the father of the telegraph," is dead at his residence in this city. He had been ill for many weeks. He was born at Edinburgh, Scotland, March 22, 1812, and came to America in 1834. His entrance into the telegraphic service was in 1845, when he assisted in the organization of the Atlantic and Ohio Telegraph company.

British Captured.

London, April 29.—Lord Kitchener continues the process of wearing down the Boers, who, however, are very active in the Kroonstad district, where they recently derailed two trains and also captured, after a severe fight, 25 men of the Prince of Wales light horse, whom they stripped of their horses and accoutrements and then liberated.

Wholesale Atrocities.

Vienna, April 29.—It is reported from Belgrade that the Albanians in old Serbia are committing wholesale atrocities.

TO THE POINT.

News of the Four Quarters Presented
in Popular Form.

Employees of the omnibus and street-car lines in Barcelona go on strike. Amusement park trust the latest out. Frank Burt of Toledo, promoter. An Amsterdam dispatch says Paul Kruger will visit America next June. Bank at Pioneer, O., near Toledo, robbed of \$1,000. Vault wrecked by dynamite.

Archibald Free, a star route carrier, charged with robbing the mails at Newport, Tenn.

By an explosion of firedamp in the Grand Bulson coal mine at Hornu, Belgium, 18 miners were killed and many injured.

Colonel James Kilbourne of Columbus formally announces his candidacy for the Ohio Democratic gubernatorial nomination.

R. N. McInturff, "villain" in a melodrama, accidentally shot and killed on the stage by the "hero," Baccus Bailey, at Burnsville, N. C.

Pimples-Boils

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NEWS

Of the City Across the River.

Second Street

Property Owners Will Petition

City Council to Have Their Thoroughfare Paved This Season.

A Happy Couple Wedded at the Home of Rev. W. H. Leatherman Last Evening—Other Notes of Interest.

This morning Miss Jeanne Osburn returned from a several days' pleasant visit with friends at Kenton.

For awhile Mr. Briggs, of Kenton, will be engaged in business in south Lima.

Concluding business here, J. M. Wood, of Kenton, has returned home. Saturday evening ex-Sheriff L. A. Ansley, of Hardin county, left for his Kenton home, after a brief business visit in this vicinity.

A very creditable concert was given by the south Lima band at the court house Saturday night. Their rendition elicited many complimentary remarks.

May 15th, a musical organization composed of choir members of the south Lima Baptist and Grace M. E. churches will render a concert program at the south side Christian church. The club consists of some very clever local vocalists.

While visiting with her daughter, Mrs. George Godfrey, on McPherson avenue, Mrs. Jacob Roth, of Dayton, became very ill being quite sick the past week.

Saturday James Reap, a law student at the Ohio State University in Columbus, returned to his home on Franklin avenue, where he will recuperate some time before returning to college. Overzealousness in application to studies impaired his health seriously.

Sunday was spent by Miss Blanch Shaw, of Indianapolis, Ind., with her parents Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Shaw on Franklin avenue.

Being here supervising the dismantling of the Fee mill, H. H. Hatfield has gone to Newark, where the enterprise will be conducted in the future.

Friends in this city yesterday entertained Dana Welch, of the Ada Record.

Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Wright, the Ladies' Aid society of the south Lima Christian church will hold an all day sewing. Social features will relieve the monotony of the work.

Arrangements have been completed for an entertainment to be given at the east Kibby street Christian church Friday evening.

Yesterday afternoon at St. Johns, Ohio, Rev. Mitchell delivered an address commemorative of the eighty-second anniversary of the founding of Old Fellowship in America. The desertation was greatly appreciated.

Yesterday Maj. Guy Deming, of Ada, visited with friends here.

Having served as missionaries for the past eight years in India, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Dutton are home for a year's vacation which will be principally in attending the Moody school at Chicago. Yesterday they were the guests of Mrs. Dutton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adam Neiswander, of south Lima.

After a brief visit with local friends Will Black has returned to his home at Ada.

Spencerville friends were visited by Clyde Robins yesterday. Some boys riding on the side walk on Second street yesterday ran over two small children who fortunately were not seriously injured.

Lima friends had for their guests Sunday John Phillips, of Ada.

All the property owners on east Second street, have signed the paving petition. Those interested in the matter feel confident of general success.

After a prolonged stay with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. G. DeVoe, Mrs. P. A. Barlow left this morning for Cairo, Mich., where she will make her future home.

In a short time D. S. Gunther and family, of Circular street will move to Dayton where they will reside in the future. Mr. Gunther having recently entered into business relations with his father in that city.

Sunday Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Wood, Sr., of Columbus Grove, were the

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GREENSBORO, Pa., Jan. 23, 1900.

I had been afflicted with rheumatism for years and two and one-half years ago I was recommended to try Athlo-phos. Took four bottles and have not had rheumatism since. I want to write and tell you how much good it has done me.

Mrs. THOMAS PATTERSON.

guests of their son and family, C. M. Wood, Jr., of south Elizabeth street.

An Epworth League anniversary will be held at the home of C. W. Brookhart, on south Elizabeth street, May 15. A very pleasant time is anticipated.

Ed Zimmerman, of south Jackson street, was the victim of a serious accident a few days ago, while engaged in operating a circular saw at Lawrence's planing mill, he got his right hand too close to the saw and had the thumb cut off at the first joint. The accident will lay him up for some time.

St. Wayne friends yesterday entertained E. R. Brookhart and Joseph Edwards, of the south side.

Her friends will be sorry to learn of the serious illness of Mrs. George Leham, of St. Johns avenue.

For their guest her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Fink, of south Elizabeth street, have Mrs. C. E. Kellogg, of El Paso, Texas.

Completing assignments at Alexandria, Ind., W. H. Smith has returned to his home in this locality.

Yesterday Mr. and Mrs. Frank DeVoe entertained James Plummer and wife, of West Newton.

Owing to the critical illness of a relative at Spencerville, R. G. Platt was summoned to that place yesterday.

An unusually large audience enjoyed Rev. W. H. Leatherman's discourse at Grace M. E. Church last night.

Relatives here were visited Sunday by Edward Pugsley, Daniel Bear and wife, of Findlay.

A very pretty wedding occurred at the home of Rev. W. H. Leatherman last night, when he united in wedlock Miss Maggie Brennan and Amos Miller, two popular young people of Marion township, whose friends hope for them a happy journey through life.

GOLD BRICKS.

Yesterday afternoon A. Haymaker was standing at the corner of south Main street and the public square, when he was approached by a well dressed and very clever looking man, who immediately entered into a friendly and interesting conversation with him. In some manner the stranger had picked up some information concerning relatives of Mr. Haymaker and related incidents well remembered by him, thus winning his confidence.

He then unfolded a seemingly plausible scheme by which, with Mr. Haymaker's assistance, a fortune could be made in a very short time. Haymaker thought very favorably of the plan, but told the man that he would think the matter over and talk to him later.

All Haymakers of White Clover Council No. 23, will meet at their hayloft, Monday evening, April 29.

Any tramps found in the barnyard will be given a bath and put to work. They will sweat as they never sweat before.

NOTICE A. O. H. DIVISION NO. 1.

All members of degree team, and any member desiring to take part in the work are requested to meet at their hall for practice Tuesday evening, April 30th.

Red is a danger signal on the railroad, on a fellow's nose and on a fellow's face. Men and women use Rocky Mountain Tea and get genuine rosy cheeks. 35 cents. Ask your druggist.

Cures the cough, Soothes and heals the inflamed membranes—

DR. JAMES' CHERRY TAR SYRUP.

Easy to take—prompt in results.

At Drug Stores. 25 Cents a Bottle.

FAILURE

Of a Lima Man Raises a Legal Question.

Parkersburg Bank Asks That Wm. Cochran be Declared an Involuntary Bankrupt.

The petitions of the Wood county bank of Parkersburg, West Virginia, and of Heanig & Ewing, also of Parkersburg, were filed in the United States court Saturday morning, says the Toledo Bee, in which they pray the court that William Cochran, of Lima, be declared an involuntary bankrupt.

The petition says that Cochran and E. E. Northrup were in the oil producing business in West Virginia and Ohio; that on December 19 Northrup filed an independent petition in bankruptcy in Parkersburg, making the firm's debts \$15,000; that Cochran owes \$25,000, and that the bank holds four promissory notes aggregating \$5,045, and that Hennig & Ewing have \$4,500 due them.

It is claimed that Cochran is insolvent, and that he has made an assignment of all his property in favor of the City bank of Lima.

THE IDLER.

Frank Stump, of Delphos, has purchased the Klatts saloon, on east Wayne street, and is giving the place a thorough overhauling. Mr. Stump was formerly a resident of this city and his many friends gladly welcome him back.

There is a movement under way to organize a league of nearby towns that have a gun club. It is proposed to form a circuit which will include, Van Wert, Findlay, Spencerville, Delphos, and Wapakoneta. A New York powder manufacturer has offered a handsome cup as trophy to be awarded the championship team. A three-corner event in which Delphos, Van Wert and Spencerville will take part will be held at Delphos in the near future.

The Toledo letter carriers have again "settled" the shirt waist problem which has been vexing them. Some claimed that an advantage was taken in the voting two weeks ago, so as to give no chance for a kick, the boys voted again Saturday at the postoffice under the supervision of the postoffice officials. There were 84 votes cast, 62 in favor of the short shirt, and 22 still clinging to the long tailed garment. Thus it seems, unless they decide to have another vote, the Toledo carriers have adopted, officially, the shirt waist as a hot weather substitute. It will be neat in appearance, probably grey in color, and can be worn, of course, without a coat.

W. E. Lookhart, of the Buckeye Pipe Line offices, who has been dangerously ill, suffering an attack of pneumonia, for a few weeks, was able to be out for the first time today.

The locomobile owned by Dr. Tuttle, of Van Wert, passed through this town this morning, en route to Lima and soon returned and went on through to Van Wert. Sheriff Webster, of Van Wert county and the driver were in the seat on the trip to Lima, but coming back there was a third man with them, who appeared to be ill. They passed through in such a hurry that it was not learned who they had with them.—Delphos Herald.

ARE FILLING UP.

Indiana Lakes Gradually Being Filled Out of Business.

The northern Indiana lakes are slowly filling up with vegetation and a few years will see some of the small rocky mountain tea and get genuine rosy cheeks. 35 cents. Ask your druggist.

Constitution neglected or badly treated, leads to total disability or death. Rocky Mountain Tea also cures croup, constipation in all its forms. 35c. Ask your druggist.

Spring is the starting point of the year—Take Hagee's Cordial of Cod Liver Oil Compound and start right

Why— Because it supplies the greatest vitalizing force that medical science has ever discovered. As a reconstructive and builder of body tissue, it is superior to any other Spring tonic you can take. No grease. No fishy taste. As palatable as milk.

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COMING

The chief consulting and examining physician of the France Medical Institute Co., by request, will visit

Lima House, Tuesday, April 30.

From 10 a. m. to 8 p. m.

BLOOD POISON, VARICOCELE, STRICTURE

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THE FRANCE MEDICAL INSTITUTE. 38-40 West Gay St., Columbus, Ohio. Established 1860. Largest Practice and Most Complete Institute of its kind in U. S. Our record of cures is second to none. During the past 40 years we have successfully treated thousands of cases. Our practice extends not only throughout the United States, Canada, and Mexico, but also includes many foreign countries. Our long experience, remarkable skill, and universal success in the treatment of all diseases of men and women, has made us the most complete and successful treatment known to the medical world, for diseases of men and women. Wonderful cures effected in old cases which have been unprofitably treated. Our success is indicated by cures effected. Testimonials sent us by physicians and patients is positive proof. References—We can refer you to the First National Bank, or any bank or reputable business house in Columbus, Ohio, besides any reliable mercantile agency can be consulted as to our financial standing.

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THE FRANCE URETHRAL TREATMENT is a medicated Bougie for the cure of Stricture and all forms of Diseases of the Bladder, Urethra, and Prostate Gland. The Bougies are inserted into the urethral canal upon retiring at night, and slip into position without the slightest effort, requiring a short time to dissolve. They act like a mild electric current, invigorating and imparting vim and snap to the entire body. The curative effect is felt from the first application. Our special treatment completely cures the Stricture and permanently removes obstructions from the urinary passage. **Treatment by Correspondence.** Each person applying for Medical Treatment should receive a careful chemical and microscopic examination. We have cured thousands of cases we have never seen. Write for book of 100 pages and list of 500 questions. Correspondence, Consultation and Examination free and strictly confidential. No names published without the written consent of the patient. Treatment sent by mail or express to any part of the United States. **Address—The France Medical Institute Co., 38 W. Gay St., Columbus, O.**

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Makes delicious dessert? No cooking, no baking, only a minute's labor. Delicious flavors—Lemon, Orange, Peach, Strawberry, Raspberry, Wild Cherry (delicious with cold meats.)

"It is well to place the highest value on ourselves," said the Wise Guy. "Especially if we are hurt in a railroad accident," chimed in the Simple Mug.

GIVEN UP TO DIE WITH CROUP. Mrs. P. L. Cordier of Maanington, Ky., writes: "My three year old girl had a severe case of croup, the doctor said she could not live and I gave her up to die. I went to the store and got a bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar, the first dose gave quick relief and saved her life."

H. F. Vorkamp, cor. Main and North streets.

The man who can knock out a two-bagger with three men on the bases is the popular hero.

Nasal CATARRH

In all its stages there should be cleanliness. Ely's Cream Balm cleanses, soothes and heals the diseased membrane. It cures catarrh and drives away a cold in the head quickly.

Cream Balm is placed into the nostrils, spreads over the membrane and is absorbed. Relief is immediate and a cure follows. It is not drying, does not produce sneezing. Large Size, 50 cents at Druggists or by mail; Trial Size, 10 cents at Druggists or by mail; Trial Size, 10 cents at Druggists or by mail.

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BIGGER THAN CONGRESS.

NEW PIKE LAW.

Several petitions from the western portion of the county based upon the law are already on file with the county commissioners and it is said more are to follow. Few persons are aware of the existence of the law, and those who are familiar with it are divided of opinion as to the justice of applying its provisions to this county. Tho

"It would be superfluous to dwell on the increased losses to the country, caused by the prolongation of the struggle and by the form which it has recently assumed. The fact that the enemy is now broken up into a great number of small forces raiding in every direction, and that our troops are similarly broken up in pursuit, makes the area of actual fighting and consequently of destruction much wider than would be the case in a conflict between equal numbers operating in large masses. Moreover, the fighting is now mainly over supplies. The Boers live entirely on the country, through which they pass, not only taking

We cordially invite all advertisers and others interested in newspaper circulation to visit our press room and inspect the circulation of the Times-Democrat as it is run out from our fast Hoe press. We absolutely guarantee a circulation greater than any other Lima newspaper has now or ever had in its history of this city.

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1500 yards 36-inch striped and figured Taffeta Linings, for lining tailored suits
and also for petticoats, never sold at less than 15c to 25c the yard.
Special at 9 Cents.

233-235 MAIN STREET NORTH

New Orleans' Welcome.
New Orleans, April 29. — The program for the reception to President McKinley and party is complete. The train is expected Wednesday afternoon and will be met by a military and civic parade, which will escort the visitors to the St. Charles hotel, where there will be a banquet in the evening. Thursday morning there will be a carriage ride to points of interest, includ-

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A WORD TO ADVERTISERS.

If you wish to reach the people of this country, outside of Lima, you should use the columns of the **SIMB WEEKLY Times-Democrat**. It goes to every postoffice in the country and has more subscribers in the country than any other paper printed in Lima.

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PROGRESS

The Tiffin Classis Sessions.

Scholarly Address Delivered by Dr. A. S. Zerbe.

Missionary from Japan Will Wear the Native Costume and Supplement the Program This Evening.

The sessions continued in Calvary reformed church Saturday and today. Dr. A. S. Zerbe gave a scholarly address appealing for a more systematic, scientific and prayerful study of the word. The greater part of the evening was devoted to reports from the recent charges. A Hungarian mission in East Toledo has been organized with a membership of 125. The church has in late years taken considerable interest in these foreign people who come to our shore. Students of the Zang and George L. M. Beam, graduates from Heidelberg Theological Seminary were licensed for the ministry.

The services on Sunday proved a blessing to the interest of all present. A large congregation was present in the evening to hear the missionary from Japan tell of her work abroad. A full business session is being held today and the body is expected to adjourn this evening. At 7:30 the ladies will have charge of the service and will give an interesting program. The missionary from Japan will dress in native costume and supplement the program by a short address.

DEATH

Came Suddenly to Mrs. Phoebe Wiggins.

Mrs. Phoebe Wiggins, who was stricken with paralysis Wednesday afternoon of this week while gathering berries at her home on north West avenue this morning at 7 o'clock, died at the Sidney News. She was

about sixty-three years of age and had been a resident of Sidney for over thirty-five years, coming here from Greene county. She was married to Henry Wiggins, who died about twelve years ago. She leaves three daughters, Mrs. Ellen Washington, of Lima; Mrs. Charity Brown, of Gallon, and Mrs. Frances Cumberland, of this city. The funeral services will probably be held Monday.

MASONIC NOTICES.

There will be a special meeting of Garret Wykoff Lodge No. 585, F. & A. M. this evening at 7 o'clock sharp. Work in M. M. degree.

W. K. BOONE, W. M.
E. H. JOHNS, Recorder.

There will be a special convention of Shawnee Commandery No. 14, K. T. tomorrow evening at 7 o'clock. Work in Knights Templar degree.

F. A. ZIMMERMAN E. C.
E. H. JOHNS, Recorder.

DEFECTIVE FLUE

The Cause of a Fire at Jackman's Restaurant.

This morning at 7:30 o'clock the fire department was called out to extinguish a fire in the rear and upper portion of the building occupied by Jackman's saloon and restaurant at Wayne street and Central avenue. One stream of water was turned on but the loss was not heavy. A defective flue caused the trouble.

SHRINERS, ANTIOCH TEMPLE

You are requested to meet at Shrine club this evening at 7:30 to consider the advisability of going to Dayton, May 1st, or holding a social session here later.

J. E. LOWRY, Sec'y.

FOR SALE.

200 feet square, corner of High and Collet streets, suitable for 9 dwellings. Inquire of H. M. Moore, No. 20 Public square. 8 3t

The blind actor usually requires a leading man.

PERSONAL.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Zanglein, of Botkins, Ohio, were the guests yesterday of Mrs. Rose Gallagher, of north Elizabeth street.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. J. Collins and son Virgil, of Wapakoneta, were the guests of relatives here yesterday.

W. A. Riddel, of west Wayne street, spent Sunday in Muncie, Ind.

Mrs. Frank Glock, of Lima, who has been visiting the Och's, Dickson's and Zender's in this city, says the Kenton Republican, left this noon for Cleveland where she will join her husband. They will reside in that city.

Miss Jennie Arthur went to Lima to visit over Sunday with her parents.

A. B. King, Martin, Jno. F. Linderman and Charley Lang went to Lima Saturday, to attend the funeral of Patrick Doolin, the C. H. & D. engineer who was killed in a wreck near Dayton.—Delphos Herald.

Dalton Williams, of Kokomo, Ind., will arrive here this evening to spend a few days with friends.

Miss Elenora Cathey, of 115 south Jackson street, is convalescing after a severe attack of typhoid fever.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Greenland, of north Jackson street, a son.

W. H. Manning, of Cleveland, is in the city today looking after the Plain Dealer's interests.

E. S. Vanatta, of the C. H. & D. shops, who had his foot mangled last Friday, is improving.

John Summers, father of Deputy Sheriff Mike Summers, of Delphos, is in the city today.

"Now good digestion waits on appetite, and health on both." If it doesn't, try Burdock Blood Bitters.

YOUR NEXT CHANCE FOR AN EXCURSION TO CINCINNATI

Via C. H. & D. Ry. Sunday May 5th, at 2:00 for the round trip. Tickets good going on the 2:10 a. m. and 6:50 a. m. trains; good returning leaving Cincinnati at 5:30 p. m. and 10:00 p. m. same day. A. HANSEN, Ticket Agent. 8 6t

TROUBLES

Between Man and Wife May be Aired

In Mayor's Court Before Divorce Court is Reached.

Angered Husband Uses His Shoe on His Other Half and an Officer Interferes—Cases in Mayor's Court.

L. T. Watkins, of the south side, filed a petition in court some time ago for a divorce from his wife, Mrs. Watkins, the fortune teller, but there is a possibility that at least some of their troubles will be aired in mayor's court before the case reaches an issue in the divorce court. Mr. and Mrs. Watkins have been separated for some time, the former boarding at a hotel on south Main street and the latter occupying their home on west Kirby street. Saturday night about 11 o'clock Mr. Watkins walked toward the residence occupied by his wife and he claims that two men made a hasty exit from the place as he approached. He and Mrs. Watkins then became engaged in a quarrel and he says that he became so violently agitated and aggravated by the woman that he applied the side of one of his shoes to her as a demonstration of his wrath. Mrs. Watkins ran to Jones Bros. grocery where she hurled a storm of abuse upon policeman Jake Shook because he had not hastened to her rescue. The officer accompanied the husband to the police station where he was instructed to appear before the mayor this evening and was promptly released. Then upon going to his office at the C. & E. depot he found the woman there and making the claim that she was trying to search through the letters in his desk he ejected her bodily from the room. The police again interfered and both were sent to their respective homes. Today Mrs. Watkins filed a charge of assault and battery against her husband.

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A MID SEASON BARGAIN SALE OF

TAILOR-MADE SUITS.



It must be conceded that the spring season has proven somewhat tardy for the sale of ready-made wear, and stocks have not moved as readily as manufacturers and merchants hoped for.—To make suit selling especially active THIS WEEK.

We inaugurate a reduction sale and offer every suit at a special price for this week.

- ☛ All \$9.50 Suits, for this week, \$8.00.
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- ☛ All \$16.50 Suits, for this week, \$14.00.
- ☛ All \$19.50 Suits, for this week, \$17.00.
- ☛ All \$24.50 Suits, for this week, \$22.00.

When you take into consideration that these are all up-to-date, thoroughly tailored goods at these reductions below our usual low prices you will be convinced that

THIS WEEK IS THE TIME TO BUY YOUR SUIT.

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The best values possible in Silk Waists, Wash Waists and Ready-to-Wear Skirts.

NOW IS THE TIME TO BUY Coats, Suits and Skirts.

Spring and Summer goods are all on hand and we are offering them at bargain prices—prices that are calculated to maintain and add to the reputation of the store as money saver. Cold type does scant justice to these articles.

SUITS.

Ladies' fine Cheviot Suits, with slouched trimmed skirts and jackets and Bishop sleeves. The greatest bargain ever offered at

\$21.50.

Princess Suits, made of fine Venetian Cloth, neatly trimmed. The most stylish suit ever offered for

\$30.00.

JACKETS.

Silk Eton Coats, an ideal spring coat, and extra-ordinary values for

\$4.98.

Black Taffeta Jacket, finely tucked, Bishop sleeves, very stylish, for

\$9.50.

White Jackets, collarless, Eton style, a summer, for

\$6.50.

LADIES' WRAPPERS.

Our fine Calico Wrappers, with ruffled flounce, cannot be equalled at

\$1.00.

Fine Percale Wrappers in pretty light patterns, at bargains at

\$1.98.

SKIRTS.

French Accordion Plaited Skirts, the newest and prettiest garment ever made for



Girls Misses and Ladies.

We have a complete assortment in stock and make to order from any material you desire. Good quality Henrietta Skirts

\$3.00.

Ladies' unlined Spring cloth Dress Skirts made of fine Venetian cloth in the daintiest shade,

\$8.50.

Unlined Taffeta Silk Dress Skirt with handsome trimmed flounce

\$18.50.

SHIRT WAISTS.

We have a handsome assortment of colored Shirt Waists in fine percale and lawn for

\$4.90.

White Waists in the choicest patterns from 79c up.

STRENGTH AND ENDURANCE

Are factors of the greatest success. No person can do full justice to himself without them.

In no season of the year are they more easily exhausted than in the spring.

We need not discuss the reason for this here. It's enough to say there is one, and that Hood's Sarsaparilla gives strength and endurance, as thousands annually testify.

ATTENTION G. A. R.

For the encampment at Bellefontaine, May 6th to 11th, the C. H. & D. will sell tickets at 75 cents for the round trip good going on the 6th, 7th and 8th, good returning until the 11th. Four good conventions daily. Everybody invited.

Genuine Rocky Mountain Tea is never sold in bulk by peddlers or less than 35 cents. Don't be fooled, get the tea made famous by the Madison Medicine Co. Ask your druggist.

\$1.25

To Toledo and return via C. H. & D. R. Sunday, May 5th. Tickets good going on the 7:43 a. m. and 11:57 a. m. trains; good returning leaving Toledo at 2:30 p. m. and 11:55 p. m. same day. 8 6t

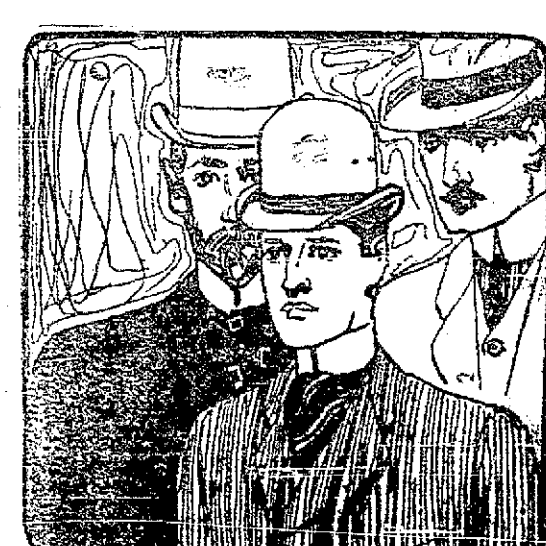
Diphtheria, sore throat, croup. Instant relief, permanent cure. Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. At any drug store.

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James Porter, lineman for the L. E. & W. is remodeling his home at 407 east High street. The improvements consist of an open stairway, a quarter sawed oak finish, wired for electric light and gas, bath rooms, etc. When finished the house will be modern throughout.

J. L. Kidder, of Springfield, has purchased the Enterprise laundry, on east Market street, from Seville & Holman. Mr. Kidder is an elderly gentleman and has been engaged in the laundry business at Springfield for a long time. His son will manage their plant in that city.

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that you will not find in any other store in town. We are just as particular that the garments that we offer to our customers shall be CUT IN THE LATEST FASHION, and shall be PERFECTLY CORRECT IN EVERY DETAIL, even to properly matched buttons, as we are that the intrinsic merit of the fabrics and the tailoring shall be, like Caesar's wife, "BEYOND REPROACH."

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THE UNION Clothing and Shoe Co.

CARROLL & GOONEY.

Rheumatism

Rheumatism is due to an excess of acid in the blood. When this escapes through the pores of the skin, as it often does, it produces some form of skin eruption—some itching disease like Eczema or Tetter—but when these little tubes or sweat glands are suddenly closed by exposure to cold and sudden chilling of the body, then the poisons thrown off by the blood, finding no outlet, settle in membranes of the joints, muscles and nerves. These parts become greatly inflamed, feverish and tender, the nerves break down and the sufferer is soon reduced to a state of helplessness and misery. This acid poison penetrates the joints and seems to dry out the natural oils, and the legs, arms and fingers become so stiff and sore that every movement is attended with excruciating pain.

Lauiments, plasters, electricity and heat, while their use may give temporary ease, cannot be called cures, for the disease returns with every change of the weather. S. S. S. cures Rheumatism by working a complete change in the blood; the acids are neutralized, the circulation purified and the rich, healthy blood that is carried to the irritated, aching muscles and joints, soothes and heals them. S. S. S. cures Rheumatism even when inherited or brought on by the excessive use of mercury. Opium, in some form, is the basis of nearly all so-called Rheumatic Cures, which deaden the pain but do not touch the disease and lead to ruinous habits. Alkalies and the potash and mineral remedies so often prescribed, affect the tender lining of the stomach and weaken the digestion, thus adding another burden to the already weak and impoverished blood. S. S. S. contains no mineral or dangerous drug of any kind, but is a simple, vegetable remedy and the most perfect blood purifier known. Send for our book on Rheumatism and write our physicians if you wish any information or advice. We would be glad to mail you a book free; we charge nothing whatever for medical advice.

THE SWIFT SPECIFIC COMPANY, ATLANTA, GA.

TRADE IN PLAYING CARDS.

Twelve Million Pack. Are Used in the United States Annually.

"The number of playing cards used in the United States is something wonderful, there being as many as 12,000,000 packs sold throughout the country last year," remarked a large manufacturer the other day. "These cards were made in some thirty-five factories, fourteen of which are located in New York. The latter city is the second in not the greatest, card center in the world. The rivalry between it and London is very close. London produces about 1,000,000 packs and New York about 3,500,000 packs annually. The cards made in the United States, especially in New York, are the handsomest, the most durable and current known in the trade. The European makers are satisfied with old styles and methods. The average pack of cards in London, Paris, Madrid, Vienna and Berlin is very much the same today as it was in the beginning of the last century. Those made in this country show slight improvement from year to year. American manufacturers were the first to introduce the rounded corners and the smoother, and also the elaborately designed card backs and the elastic satin glaze which makes new cards so handsome and increases their durability. The material used for making the best cards is the finest linen paper, while for the cheapest grades wood pulp is used. All the cards are printed and cut on rapid-running machines, and costly printing ink, dye and gold and silver leaf are used to color and decorate the faces and backs of the goods. Playing cards range in price from 10 cents to \$1 and more per pack. The American market is a curious one. Very few people care to buy the cheapest kind of cards. It is the 25 and 50 cent qualities which sell the best. There is a limited but constant demand for very handsome cards, especially when they are intended as a present or a holiday gift. There is a heavy tax or tariff on cards in every European country, which prevents our invading their markets. Otherwise I think we could undersell them at least 50 per cent. In this country the product is a large source of revenue to the government, as there is a tax of 2 cents collected on every pack sold here."

A RAGING, ROARING FLOOD

"Washed down a telegraph line which Chas. C. Ellis, of Lisbon, Ia., had to repair. 'Standing waist deep in icy water,' he writes, 'gave me a terrible cold and cough. It grew worse daily. Finally the best doctors in Oakland, Neb., Sioux City and Omaha said I had Consumption and could not live. Then I began using Dr. King's New Discovery and was wholly cured by six bottles.' Positively guaranteed for Coughs, Colds and all Throat and Lung troubles by H. F. Vortkamp. Price 50 cents and \$1.00."

Lithuanians Play Dice

A peculiar dice game is indulged in by the gambling element of Lithuanians in Baltimore. Gathering about the dice tables in the saloons kept by their fellow-countrymen they quickly lose all interest in everything outside of that which is transpiring upon the cloth before them. As they sit and stand about the tables the careworn features of old men contrast strongly with the ruddy faces of the youths. The eagerness with which the player seeks the numbers upon the falling pieces is wondrous in its intensity. Comparatively small sums are placed upon the game and side bets run from 5 cents to a dollar. Although resembling in the manner in which it is operated the high dice game, as played by the Anglo-Saxon race, the dice of the Lithuanians, instead of numbering from 1 to 6, run from 1 to 10, the numbering of the six sides being 1, 2, 3, 4, 8 and 10. The game is played with four pieces, and a possible 40 is the point striven for, instead of 24, which is high mark in the similar American game. Much money changes hands, as the foreigners are fond of playing.—Chicago Journal.

ABOUT BALATA.

South American Substitute for Rubber Pliable but Not Elastic.

A recent Washington dispatch, referring to the policy of Venezuela in opening up the Orinoco to commerce and industrial development, incidentally referred to a substitute for India rubber known as balata. It is asserted that the amount of this substance shipped from Ciudad Bolivar was upward of 500 tons in 1899, about 750 in 1900, and that 1900 would probably double the latter figure, although the returns are not yet all in. Balata has been known to the rubber trade for something like twenty years, part of the supply coming from Dutch Guiana and part of it from Venezuela. It resembles rubber in being pliable, but it is not elastic. It has been used in Europe considerably in making belting, the basis of which is canvas. Balata has also been tried for electrical insulation, and no doubt could be employed extensively in rubber compounds. It is hardly necessary to tell any reader of the Tribune that all is not pure Para gum that bears the name of rubber. Cheaper grades of rubber and many substances that are not like rubber at all are mixed with the higher grades of caoutchouc in the manufacture of tires, overshoes and a host of other rubber goods. Although balata has not yet been employed as an adulterant on a large scale, it is easy to perceive its possibilities. Genuine rubber ranges all the way from 20 to 90 cents a pound. The price of Para gum has been as high as \$1 a pound at times. Sorinam balata brings about 80 cents a pound just now, and the Orinoco article 45. The former comes in sheets, and looks like common glue, though not so stiff or dark. The Venezuelan article is prepared for the market in blocks. It will thus be seen that balata is cheaper than the best rubber and more expensive than the inferior quality. It is not well replaced by the latter, but it might be substituted for, or compounded with, the higher priced Para product. The opinion was expressed last week by an officer of one of the big rubber importing companies of this city that not over fifty tons of balata are consumed in the United States in the course of a year. This may possibly be a conservative estimate at the present time, but it probably represents with accuracy the situation as it existed only a very few years ago.—New York Tribune.

BEST WAY TO CURE BACKACHE.

Backaches are caused by disorder in the kidneys. Foley's Kidney Cure will make the kidneys right. Take no substitute.

H. F. Vortkamp, cor. Main and North streets.

One man planted a tree today and chopped off the root to make it easier work.

HE KEPT HIS LEG.

Twelve years ago, J. W. Sullivan, of Hartford, Conn., scratched his leg with a rusty wire. Inflammation and blood poisoning set in. For two years he suffered intensely. Then the best doctors urged amputation, "but," he writes, "I used one bottle of Electric Bitters and 1½ boxes of Bucklen's Arnica salve and my leg was sound and well as ever." For Eruptions, Eczema, Tetter, Salt Rheum, Sores and all blood disorders Electric Bitters has no rival on earth. Try them. H. F. Vortkamp will guarantee satisfaction or refund money. Only 50 cents.

Perhaps Mother Eve didn't know much about spring bonnets, but she certainly set the fall styles.

Hoax—"I never saw such an inquisitive fellow as Bjones." Joak—"Sort of a questionable character, eh?"

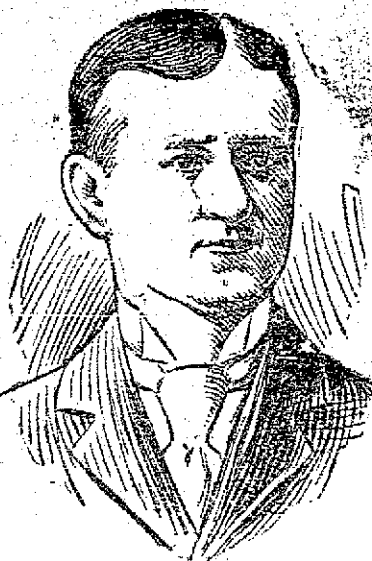
FREE DRINKS CUT OFF

AN AUSTRALIAN MAYOR TAKES STEPS AGAINST CUSTOM.

Aldermen Now Thirsty—His Honor Carries Key to Refreshment Room—Public Indignation Over Extravagance—Conflicts with Law.

Australian cities do not pay their aldermen or councilors, as they are termed. Instead of pay there is a law which puts 3 per cent of the amount raised from taxes into the hands of the council and mayor to spend as they like. That means, in all cases, that 3 per cent pays the cost of maintaining a refreshment room in the town hall, where free drinks are imbibed by thirsty aldermen. This privilege is sometimes extended to the friend or "ward heeler" of the respective councilors. Needless to add that the city fathers do not "go home until morning" on such occasions as call for regular or irregular council meetings, and frequently the proceedings are very irregular.

Mayor Takes a Hand. The new mayor of Perth, Henry Rathbone, among other things, has stepped on the toes of his henchman



MAYOR RATHBONE.

over these "3 per cents," and a regular tempest has resulted, writes an Australian. The sum available for these purposes of refreshment amounts to no less than \$3,500 a year in Perth, but that has never been sufficient to pay for all the drinks of the privileged and "for the entertainment of distinguished visitors." Hence it has been the mayor's chair who would spend freely and make up any little deficiency to the tune of a \$1,000 or so.

This was supposed to be a perfectly safe matter in the hands of the new "bonanza king" mayor, but he made the discovery that his predecessor had left a sum of considerable proportions of arrears on that account and that the 3 per cent was heavily overdrawn. When the council realized this they thought to bring the new mayor to a sense of his privilege in paying for their drinks by refusing to grant the payment of the refreshment expenses of the mayor's "at home" until the account should be brought up to date. The mayor, in retaliation, announced that henceforth he would carry the key to the refreshment room himself and that any councillor wanting a free drink must come and ask for it.

Conflicts with Law. In the meantime the people think, and one of them thought to some purpose, for he produces the law governing the expenditure of the 3 per cent, which is as follows: "The council may in any year expend out of the ordinary income of the municipality a sum not exceeding 3 per cent of such ordinary income, for any purpose connected with the municipality for the benefit or credit thereof, although such purposes be not within the scope of this act."

Common Australia asks what special credit comes to the municipality from aldermanic brawls, free fights and bibulous parties. One councillor alone attempts a defense of the custom of spending all this money for liquors and cigars. He tells the public that "it is a great boon to harmony when apparently irreconcilable differences of opinion have occurred at a council meeting for that body to adjourn to the refreshment room and discuss matters under the genial influences of alcohol and bananas. By this means the work of this great public body is expedited and the right side always wins."

Best of all, this innocent councillor is not joking. He actually thinks he can make the people believe it. The discord is proceeding and the councillors are going home from civic meetings so straight and so early that their own wives do not know what to make of it.

Recipe for Apple Pancakes. Here is a recipe for apple pancakes: Peel, core and stew six apples with half a pint of water, half a pound of sugar, and about one-third of the thin layer of a lemon. Meantime beat up two eggs, with twelve ounces of powdered sugar and twelve ounces of flour, a pinch of salt, a teaspoonful of baking powder, and moisten gradually with a pint and a half of milk and four teaspoonfuls of butter previously melted. Beat the whole well together and pour into shallow pans. Bake for twenty minutes in a hot oven. Turn out, spread one layer with the stewed apples, while these are still hot, and cover with a second layer. Sprinkle powdered sugar over the pudding, and serve with whipped cream.

AN OPTIMISTIC OUTLOOK.

An Optimist Habitually Expects Good Things in Future.

It is an interesting fact, says the London Spectator, that while almost all the literature of political and social speculation is decidedly pessimist—at least if we take the word in its modern meaning, for it has suffered within the last half-century a curious and highly suggestive change. Fifty years ago an optimist was a man who, looking upon the things immediately around him, held them to be good, while today the optimist is the man who habitually expects good things in the future.

In its new sense the majority, in this country at all events, are now optimists. The laudator temporis acti, once the bugbear of the thoughtful, has almost disappeared. The man who used to play that part let us say the old Tory squire with a good income and a long pedigree, is now a contented being who, except when discussing family pretensions, looks backward very little, and is only doubtful about the future because he is not quite sure whether he will continue to feel so entirely comfortable. The world as it is exactly suits him, and he believes in the past as little as in the future. The majority go a step farther, and not leading quite such potted lives, ignore the past altogether, and people the future with bright though rather nebulous imaginings.

Education will make us all bright, will "mollify manners and not suffer them to be fierce," will abolish drinking, and will make mankind so unselfish that poverty in its more painful forms will become like religious persecution, and evil, or rather shadowy, memory of the past which quite amazes London when it reappears in China. There are countless people who really and sincerely believe these things, just as Mr. Hall Caine does, who in a recent lecture in the island which he has made his intellectual fief repeated them all and many more, one being that all race prejudices will die because they will be "confessions of our ignorance of life." We are unable unfortunately, to place on Mr. Hall Caine as a novelist, the value which he places on himself, and which his multitudinous readers place on him, holding, doubtless, like that of Marie Correll, is one more proof of the defective literary judgement of the crowd; but we do not question his sincerity, and in this lecture he certainly gave voice to the noblesse of belief of innumerable men, one which inspires other serves as mental food for whole divisions of the vast army of philanthropists. He is fortunate in so pleasant a creed, more especially as he is able to fix his period with greater accuracy than any interpreter of Daniel, and, so to speak, knows that it will begin; but we should like to know, as a purely intellectual relief, on what that creed is based.

AN INDIAN SAILOR.

To the United States cruiser Atlanta belongs the distinction of having, in its crew, the only American Indian in the navy. He is Chapman Shenandoah, an Onondaga, and was born 29 years ago. He is the grandson of Shenandoah, the Deer, who in his day was one of the most notable men of his tribe. At the age of 18 Shenandoah could neither read nor write. Later he became a student at Hampton Institute, and after seven years of work was graduated but remained at Hampton as an assistant in the machine shop.

When the war with Spain broke out he enlisted in the navy and served at first as a fireman on the San Francisco and later on the New York under Capt. Chadwick. He was mustered out of the volunteer service when the war was



CHAPMAN SHENANDOAH.

over put, re-enlisted at once and was assigned to the Atlanta, on which vessel he is at present. The Indian sailor is described as a fine stalwart fellow of whom his tribesmen have good cause to feel proud.

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Don't wait for some ailment—poor, his very "tune" to develop into a serious one. "I feel—more than half the life of my start in this simple fashion. Get well and keep well by using

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The largest independent factory in America.

BROKERS IN INVENTIONS.

Disappearance of the Unexpended Speculator—Old Ideas.

Inventors, as every one knows, are deficient in business sense. Left to themselves, they seldom realize great profit from their work. They offer a golden opportunity to business men, who are not slow to take advantage of it. Two types of men make their living out of the inventor. One is the speculator, the other the legitimate broker of inventions. There are not so many speculators as there used to be twenty years ago. Many made fortunes out of the simple-minded inventors. The most notable case was that of one who bought ten patents from a poor fellow in Washington for \$2,000, and in the next ten years cleared nearly \$1,000,000 on them in this country and in Europe. Brokers have progressed steadily and are now members of a recognized calling. Many of them are thorough mechanics and good, practical scientists. Such as these are bound to be successful. Others are merely clever salesmen, who at times make money and at other times have their labor for their pains. Their calling is full of odd and interesting features. They meet inventors of every type, from those who have genius to those who are cranks and dreamers. It is among the latter that they find queer inventions, some of which, though ingenious, are not patentable. One of these was a policeman's club, which at the end was perforated so as to form a red pepper box. A small spring in the handle opened the box and enabled the wielder of the club to blind his enemy as well as to beat him. A second spring threw out a rill from the club a number of small knife blades, which would cut to pieces the hand of any one who tried to snatch the club away. It was refused a patent by the examiners on the ground of its cruelty and inhumanity. Another non-patentable invention was a lady's fan, in the stick of which was concealed a poisoned dagger.—New York Post.

V. B. Conklin, Bowersville, O., says: "I received more benefit from Foley's Kidney Cure than from months of treatment by physicians."

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The Cuban commissioners are drawing ten dollars per day during their stay in this country, and are willing to remain in Washington for some time.

TRY ALLEN'S FOOT-EASE.

A powder to be shaken into the shoes. Your feet feel swollen, nervous and hot, and get tired easy. If you have smarting feet or tight shoes, try Allen's Foot-Ease. It cures the feet and makes walking easy. Cures itching, sweating feet, ingrowing nails, blisters and callous spots. Relieves corns and bunions of all pains and gives rest and comfort. Try it today. Sold by all druggists and shoe stores for 25c. Trial package FREE. Address, Allen S. Omaha, Neb., U. S. A.

We knew that Old Sol was up there somewhere, and now it seems that he is out for fair.

CAUGHT A DREADFUL COLD.

Marion Kooke, manager for T. M. Thompson, a large importer of fine millinery at 1653 Milwaukee avenue, Chicago, says: "During the late severe weather I caught a dreadful cold which kept me awake at night and made me unfit to attend my work during the day. One of my milliners was taking Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for a severe cold at that time, which seemed to relieve her so quickly that I bought some for myself. It acted like magic and I began to improve at once. I am now entirely well and feel very pleased to acknowledge its merits." For sale by all druggists.

MODERN ROBINSON CRUSOE.

Plunged Upon Rocky Island, They Make

Two days and nights past away upon a little rock island jutting up through the turbulent waters of Deception pass, on the Pacific coast, was the unusual and unpleasant experience of John Lewis and C. F. Mitchell. Their rescue, half-finished and almost, was seriously less remarkable than the accident itself. Lewis and Mitchell, both experienced sailors, were cruising among the islands of the lower sound in an open center-board sloop, about 25 feet in length. From the waters lying between Whidbey Island and the mainland they attempted to pass to the open straits of Puget through Deception pass, a most dangerous channel, even in summer weather, and at that season, in the full sweep of the winter tides, a regular maelstrom. About midday in the pass the boat was caught by a whirlpool and swept up against one of the many little rock islands. Lewis and Mitchell scrambled out on the rocks, and while looking for a place where the boat might be safely moored, a twist of water swept the painter from their grasp and the boat went whirling down the pass toward the straits. The shores on both sides of the pass are precipitous. There are very few houses along the rock, and none within sight of the town upon which the men were stranded. Steamers avoid the pass during the winter season. The situation seemed desperate. There was no fire on the rocks and scarcely a scrap of vegetation. After two days had passed without a sign of relief, they found a bit of driftwood on the rock, capable of supporting on the water the weight of one man. Lots were cast, and it fell to Lewis to make the desperate effort. Astride the timber, he trusted himself to the waters, and, twisting and turning, was carried out to the straits. Outside the mouth of the pass, the man and his singular craft happen to attract the attention of the lightkeeper at Dewey. Lewis was picked up, and with the assistance of the lightkeeper and others went back and brought Mitchell from the rocks.

CASTORIA.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of **Wm. D. Druggist**

The sultan of Turkey has given Rustem Bey ten days in which to surrender on the charge of treason. If Rustem fails to agree with the sultan it will be a case of rouse mit im.

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Countless thousands have found a blessing to the body in Dr. Kink's New Life Pills, which positively cure Constipation, Sick Headache, Dizziness, Jaundice, Malaria, Fever and Ague and all Liver and Stomach troubles. Purely all vegetable; never gripe or weaken. Only 25 cents at H. F. Vortkamp's drug store.

An Error of Judgment.

A colored citizen gave a justice of the peace a big fat possum as a wedding fee. Meeting the groom a year after, the justice said:

"Well, Jim, how do you like married life?"

"Well, sah," was the reply, "all I kin say is—I wish I'd eat that possum."

THE MOST STUBBORN COUGHS.

Resulting from attack of lagrippe or heavy cold, must yield to the wonderful healing properties of Foley's Money and Tar, which strengthens the lungs and makes them sound.

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BEGGAR'S BANK ACCOUNT.

Faithful Dog Earned \$25.000 for Its Master.

For the past ten years (thereafter) and other pleasure seekers who walked on the Broadway of New York's Tenderloin after dark were wont to glance aside to the curbing at the attenuated harmonies of a hand organ, says the New York Times. The organist showed them a ragged old man, and the wheezy greeting of "How do you do?" but it also showed a grimy-haired dog hard by, with a basket full of coin in his mouth. The man who saw it merely grumbled. "That's only a hand organ beggar," he said. "Worth more than I am!" But the feminine companions were not to be put off in that wise. "But look at the faithful dog," they would cry. And the result was the dog's basket was on duty. It was the trouble became to the dog.

"Now, mind," the male escort would say, "I do it simply out of regard for the dog. Several days ago Broadway missed the dog. Broadway wandered, and then specially forgot all about it. The dog's home was in the tenement house, 402 West Thirty-eighth street, where a week ago he died. His master, since dead, the neighbors say, missed both himself and the dog to death. The dog is dead and the neighborhood knows not his name, but there is a guard his memory a noble monument. The savings of the matter that the dog earned amount to something over \$25,000."

Timothy McGrath was the local master. For years he lived in a small room in the tenement in Thirty-eighth street. Of late, since the death of the dog, he himself had been dying, and James Brown, a tailor, who had his shop on the ground floor, had been accustomed to do the mending of McGrath's.

Yesterday morning, as usual, Brown went up to the top floor, but could get no answer to his knockings. A policeman finally broke in the door. McGrath was dead. The neighborhood policeman said that lack of proper nourishment in the room for years had eaten into the man's bones. McGrath had been a miser, and one of the Bank Savings bank, and one of the Bank for Savings, showing to McGrath credit \$15,000. There was also a deed for a house on Fortieth street off Fifth avenue, a life insurance policy, and deeds for a lot and monument in Calvary cemetery.

The shirt waist girl is beginning to smile.

Dr. Bull's COUGH SYRUP

cures while the baby sleeps. Mothers, your helpless babies cough, colds, croup, whooping cough, and all the ailments of infancy. A little mistake will cure your brains and may ruin their lives forever.

Get a Doctor's Prescription!

Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup was used in his great practice for years and never failed. He saved thousands of lives. It's pure—quick—safe. Buy a bottle today—delay is danger. It's good for the whole family. The standard physician remedy for over half a century. Millions of bottles sold—it is well known.

Refuge Sufferers! good. My family has used Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup for years for coughs, colds, croup, whooping cough, and all the ailments of infancy. I always keep a bottle in my house. W. H. Mearns, Esq., Baltimore, Md.

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MAIN

Shaft Pulley Wheel
Bursts,

Flying Pieces

Narrowly Missing Sev-
eral Workmen.Accident Occured in the L.
E. & W. Machine
Shops Saturday.Machinery was Shut Down Early
on Account of the Break—More
New Machines Arrive—
Railroad News.

Saturday afternoon the machinery in the L. E. & W. machine shops was shut down early on account of an accident. Shortly after work had been resumed after the noon hour the main pulley on the main line shaft in the machine shops broke, necessitating the stopping of all the machines in that department. The pulley broke in three pieces while running at full speed and several employees narrowly escaped being struck by the flying pieces. The brass moulder had just stepped into his room when one large piece of the wheel fell at the door and three men of the boiler shop had just walked away from the place where the other two pieces of the wheel fell.

Blew Off a Patch.
It is not often that a wreck occurs on the C. L. & M., but the Defiance Crescent records are of an unusual nature that happened Friday afternoon, and there were some amusing features about it. There is but one train each way every day, a freight to which is attached a passenger coach, and the engines that do the pulling are not of the class upon which every reliance can be placed. The one which pulls the train into Defiance at 4:30 blew off a patch and a hole was left in the jacket which permitted the steam to escape, causing the engine to die just as the train reached Dornington.

There was about ten passengers on the train at the time, and none of them knew what had happened until the train stopped. They were loaded on a hand car and taken to Defiance, arriving there about 6:30.

An engine which was being repaired at Continental, was put into service the next day.

Big Four Double Track.
The Big Four company began Saturday double tracking its road from Indianapolis to Muncie, a distance of 34 miles, and the officials hope to have the work completed by July 15.

There are now a large number of very long switches along the line, and this will materially lessen the work. The double tracking has become absolutely necessary on account of the increase in the number of trains. The Michigan Division uses the line from Indianapolis to Anderson, and the control of the L. E. & W., recently obtained, means through trains between Indianapolis and Ft. Wayne, using the Cleveland Division from Indianapolis to Muncie.

Last fall two new fast trains were put on the Cleveland Division between St. Louis and New York, and the last of next month two fast St. Louis and Buffalo trains will be added. In addition, there will be three local trains added between Indianapolis and Muncie, to compete with the electric lines by what will be practically an hourly train service.

Eggs Galore.
This was the largest "egg day" for the Pittsburg company at this place within the recollection of the present employees at the depot, says the Defiance Herald. A total of 1,700 cases of hen fruit were billed out. They made about nine car loads, representing 32,000 pounds. Many of the eggs were merely transferred here, being brought in over other railroads.

Visible Thirteen Miles.
One of the straightest railways in the state is the Port Wayne branch of the Lake Erie and Western. From the Wabash crossing, two and a half miles south of Fort Wayne, to the road crossing north of the Wabash river, a distance of about twenty-one miles, there is not a curve, though there are some heavy grades which prevent a view of approaching trains at a greater distance than three or four miles. From Market street in Bluffton to the crossing of the country road about half way between Mountpelier and Keystone, a distance of thirteen miles, is also a very straight piece of track and the grades do not interfere with the view in the least. At night the headlight of a

north-bound train, as it approaches Keystone can be plainly seen by people standing on the tracks at Bluffton. In this connection the Bluffton Banner relates the following incident: "At one time there was a big damage suit on trial in the circuit court here from Fort Wayne. It was one wherein the Nickel Plate was accused of being grossly negligent in not having the headlight on the engine lighted one night when an accident which resulted in a fatality occurred. The attorneys for the railroad contended that a headlight could not have been seen more than two or three miles, while the plaintiff's attorneys contended that it could have been seen seven or eight miles. One night they started home over the Lake Erie and Western and the operator gave the attorneys a pointer by showing them a headlight visible thirteen miles away. And one of the men on the jury was at the depot at the time."

Notes.
Otto Leverton, a boiler maker, employed by the Lake Erie, went to Huntington Saturday to attend the funeral of his grandfather, John Leverton.

More new machinery is being received almost every week for the L. E. & W. shops. A new air compressing engine was received and set up last week and a milling machine will be received for the machine shops this week.

The L. E. & W. machine shops are in great need of machinists, many of the employees of that department having resigned during the last week or two to accept positions in the east. Machinist Will Reed left Saturday and will go to work at Youngstown. Conductor D. F. Goonen, of the L. E. & W., will resume charge of his west local run tomorrow morning, having been off duty for several days on account of sickness.

Joe Goonen, who has been employed by the Erie as a car inspector at Kenton for a number of years, has resigned that position and is working for the L. E. & W. here.

RECORD

For the McComb Adminis-
tration was Broken.Judge Cunningham's Suspended
Jail Sentences Have the Saloon
Keepers Guessing.

Yesterday was the most quiet Sunday that the saloons have had in Lima since the administration of municipal affairs under the policy of Mayor McComb began over a year ago. The ten days' jail sentence that was pronounced and remitted by Judge Cunningham Saturday, when the various proprietors of saloons and gambling houses were arraigned under the indictments of the grand jury has the proprietors of those numerous places on uneasy street. Quite a number of places were closed up tighter than a coffin and the bartenders took a vacation, a number of them spending the day out of the city. The places that were not closed entirely, including those owned by persons who were not indicted, were unusually quiet, front doors being kept closed and bar curtains being drawn until after 12 o'clock last night.

RESOLUTION OF RESPECT.

In memory of Dr. W. H. Harper, adopted by the Allen County Medical Society:

It having fallen to this society to mourn the loss of an earnest co-worker for the health and happiness of humanity, Dr. W. H. Harper, who has been an active member of this society continuously since the date of its organization and an esteemed member of the medical profession of this city, during the past half century; therefore

Be it resolved, that in his death, the community has been bereft of a worthy and valued citizen and the medical profession at large of an earnest and talented colleague, and this society of a respected and an active associate.

Resolved, that a copy of this certificate of respect in honor to his memory be spread upon the minutes of this society and published in the daily papers of Lima, and sent, with the heartfelt sympathy of each member of the society, to the bereaved children of the deceased.

S. B. HINER,
E. G. BURTON,
SHELBY NUMAUGH,
Committee.

A DESIRABLE HOUSE.

The property now occupied by Walter M. Cooney, on Washington street, between North and High will be for rent after about May 15th. Inquire of

WALTER J. RICHIE.

"Cure the cough and save the life." Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup cures coughs and colds, down to the very verge of consumption.

TIPS

Which are Echoes
of Wreck.

Still Another

Life May Go Out as a
Result of Disaster.Baggagemaster Johnson Re-
ported in a Critical Con-
dition at Hospital.Wreckage Has Been Cleared Away
and There is but Little Left as
a Reminder of the Awful
Scene.

No. 6 the north bound passenger train, which is due here at 11:57, was nearly three hours late Saturday, the delay being caused by the work of removing the wrecked cars from the river. They were being placed on the track just as No. 6 was due and she had to be held until the cars were in a position to be moved.

The pieces of the flange that were stripped from the ill fated engine were picked up between Plaqu and Troy and are now at the office of superintendent of motive power Cory. They were found by a member of the section crew. The Times-Democrat some months ago chronicled the fact that this same engine and the unfortunate engineer, who was killed in the wreck, were held up at Anna by a message from the dispatcher's office on account of a broken flange, the pieces being found not a great distance from where the section man located the broken segments which left the engine free to take its plunge into the rails.

There may be another life blotted out on account of the wreck, the latest reports from the hospital at Dayton, stating that Baggagemaster Thompson, of Cincinnati, is in a dangerous condition, and although he has rested easier during the past twenty-four hours, is not beyond danger. He has a slight fracture of the skull and his recovery is extremely doubtful.

Walter Worman, of Dayton, who was on the wrecked train, and had a rough experience, says the Troy Record. He and Mr. Turpin, also of Dayton, were occupants of the smoking car. Mr. Turpin was thrown over the seat in front of him and was bruised about the chest. Mr. Worman escaped without injury. Mr. Turpin relates a thrilling experience of his sensation when he realized that something had befallen the train. He did not know what it was until he clambered with Mr. Worman out of the smoker, which touched the river's edge. Mr. Turpin and Mr. Worman assisted in rescuing the baggagemaster from his perilous position, and they, with other passengers, did everything possible pending the arrival of the relief train, which was somewhat delaying on account of communication being slow.

The other victims of the wreck are improving as well as could be expected under the circumstances. Mrs. Lena Kalt was the only lady on the train who was seriously injured. After the wreck she excitedly walked across the fields and reached the pike, where a former assisted her and took her to Dayton. Nothing was known of her injuries until Thursday night. She is suffering from nervousness.

The neatness and dispatch with which a railroad wrecking crew does its work, was illustrated to the hundreds of city and country people who flocked to the scene of the wreck. The wreckers had worked all of Wednesday night, and were relieved Friday morning by a crew, and early Friday morning the track was clear and in good repair and trains passed over it as though there had never been a wreck at that point.

The two rear coaches, which which were not so badly damaged, were taken to Tippecanoe, and the two forward cars, which were turned down the bank into the river were brought to Lima, together with the dismantled engine, for repairs. The locomotive cost \$11,000 to build and it is worth but little more now than the unassembled parts of an engine. What was left of her and the wrecked cars was brought into Lima this morning on a freight train, the wheels and stripped boiler being loaded on freight cars.

Charles Rockhill and Patrick Doolin, the latter being the engineer, who was killed in the C. H. & D. wreck, were two of the best known engineers on

the road, and it is a coincidence that they had been trying to drive a bargain in which an exchange of runs would be made. Doolin was the one to finally settle the matter. A few days before the wreck occurred he informed Rockhill that he wasn't ready to make a trade just now, and that he would continue on his present run for a while longer at least. Rockhill refers to that decision as one which probably saved his life, at the sacrifice of Doolin, and naturally he thanks his lucky star that the ill-fated engine was not given over to his keeping when he most desired her.

IMPETUS

Given to the Establishment
of a LibraryAt Union Meeting Held at Trinity
Church—Everything Points
to Success in the Future.

The announcement that the services at Trinity M. E. church last night would be in the interest of the public library brought out a large audience, and although a Sunday evening sermon was dispensed with, the address delivered by S. L. Wicoff, of Sidney, was a splendid substitute and his remarks had the effect of encouraging those who are struggling with a serious problem. Mr. Wicoff is a member of the American Library Association and is in touch with everything that is going on in this particular movement, which has for its object the education and enlightenment of the masses. He took an active, if not the leading part, in the plans which have given a public library to Sidney, and his personal interest in such progress led him to lend a helping hand to Lima. His address covered many of the essential points under consideration and added much to the interest already displayed.

J. S. Motter, who is president of what is known as the Lima Library Association, made a few preliminary remarks, in which he brought the subject in hand forcibly to the front and then introduced Mr. Wicoff to the audience.

The union meeting included the Congregational, Presbyterian and Trinity churches, but there were other churches that hold short services and then adjourned to permit the congregations to attend the Trinity services. It was brought out last night that excellent progress is being made and a fund is rapidly being raised which will form the nucleus of a large and flourishing library in time to come.

HOOSIER

City Visited by Knights of
Columbus Yesterday.Special Train Over the L. E. & W.
from This City Carried Over
One Hundred Passengers.

The Knights of Columbus excursion over the L. E. & W. to Muncie yesterday carried 132 passengers from this city, together with large numbers that were picked up at the various stations en route. The Knights also ran another excursion from Ft. Wayne over the Ft. Wayne Cincinnati and Louisville division of the L. E. & W., bringing to Muncie a large delegation of people. The object of their visit to that city was to attend the institution of a new council of the Knights of Columbus to be known as Muncie Council No. 560. Knights were present to the number of 350 from Lima, Toledo, Cleveland, Cincinnati, Ft. Wayne, Logansport, Lafayette and Indianapolis. The new council starts out with 75 charter members.

MONIN

Is Arraigned and Pleads Not
Guilty.The Third Man of the Dayton Trio
Will Stand Trial on the Charge
of Shooting to Kill.

August Monnin, who was captured in Dayton by Sheriff Bogart, assisted by the local police, and brought here to answer to the charge of shooting with intent to kill, was arraigned this morning and pleaded not guilty. Monnin is a brother of the man who was killed in the duel in the C. H. & D. yards, in which officer Goebel was so badly wounded and there has been a united effort on the part of Lima and Dayton policemen to locate the only one of the trio that has been at large. Theodore Monnin was killed, Louis Breckman is serving a four year term in the penitentiary and now August is the only one yet to dispose of.

BLUEM'S

57 PUBLIC SQUARE

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"Are There Two Kinds of Bargains?"

The most attractive bargains are found at this store in all departments; by the term, "Bargains," we do not necessarily mean goods reduced from a former price—"Far better than that," we mean Bargains from the very start, from the very first price we put upon them, goods that are quickly carried away by those appreciating good values, merchandise that never feels the "cut" of a bargain knife. True at times we make trade mistakes, something we buy seems to lag, don't sell as fast as its neighbor, then we "make" a bargain of it and use the "cut price" to stir it into "Active Selling," so you see there "Are Two Kinds of Bargains" you can choose from both at this store in making your selections of

MUSLIN UNDERWEAR, LADIES' SUMMER KNIT UNDERWEAR, LINENS, TOWELINGS, WHITE SPREADS, UNDERSKIRTS and PETTICOATS of all kinds, all the Pretty New "WHITE GOODS" CORSETS and KNIT GLOVES. All found on the Second Floor.

Muslin
Underwear.

A bargain Gown..... \$1.60
Elegant quality, different shaped neck.
A bargain Skirt..... 1.00
Very wide lace insertion trimming.
A bargain Skirt..... 2.75
Lawn flounce, four rows of lace insertion, flounce of wide lace.

Ladies' Knit
Underwear.

A bargain Vest..... 10cts
Taped neck, full sized, pure yarn.
A bargain Vest..... 15cts
Shaped, full size, elegant value.
A bargain Vest..... 25cts
Lisle thread in extra sizes from 3 to size 9.

Underskirt
Petticoats.

A bargain Petticoat..... 50cts
Seersucker gingham.
A bargain Skirt at..... \$1.
Mercerized, corded flounce, elegant value.
A bargain Skirt..... \$1.50
Mercerized, looks like silk, corded flounce.

Table Linens.

A bargain Damask..... 50cts
bleached, a very quick seller.
A bargain Damask..... 65cts
70 inches wide, a remarkable value.
A bargain Damask..... \$1.00
Full bleached, 63 inches wide.

Towelings.

A bargain Crash..... Sets
All linen, 18 inches wide, an elegant value.
A bargain Crash at..... 11cts
All linen, 20 inches wide, an elegant value.
A bargain Crash at..... 7cts
All linen, 18 inches wide, a quick seller.

White Spreads.

A bargain Spread..... 75cts
Good size, all hemmed for use.
A bargain Spread..... \$1.
Large size fringed.
A bargain Spread..... \$1.50
Extra large size, all hemmed for use.

White Goods.

A bargain Lawn..... 7cts
Nice quality, pretty and sheer.
A bargain Mull..... 40cts
48 inches wide, elegant for dresses.
A bargain Batiste..... 25cts
Nice and sheer, 40 inches wide.

Towels.

A bargain Towel..... Sets
All cotton, extra large, from 10c.
A bargain Towel..... 10cts
A Union Huck, average size, a large seller.
A bargain Towel..... 50cts
All linen bleached, extra large size, fringed or hem-stitched.

Kid Gloves.

A bargain Glove..... \$1.
Black and all colors, all gloves fitted.
A bargain Glove..... \$1.50
Black and colors, dressed and undressed.

The Ready-Made Department "Third Floor" is not behind in its showing of all outside-wear garments, the same care is given to the selection and selling of our famous one-dollar house wrapper, as we extend to our Finest Tailor-Made Suits, and then the air of "Something New Each Day" invites you to visit this department even if you don't intend to buy we are glad to have you come and see the latest styles, you'll find both kinds of bargains here in

LADIES' TAILOR-MADE SUITS, CLOTH and SILK DRESS SKIRTS, WALKING SKIRTS, SILK WAISTS and JACKETS, COTTON SHIRT WAISTS, LAWN WRAPPERS.

Ladies' Suits.

A bargain Suit..... \$12.95
Castor, blue, oxford, sizes 32 to 42.
A bargain Suit at..... \$18.00
In black with skirt all silk lined.

Cloth Dress
Skirts.

A bargain Skirt at..... \$5.00
All wool, in tan and gray, all lengths in stock.
A bargain Skirt at..... \$3.95
In colors and black, reduced from \$5.00.

Silk Dress Skirts

A bargain Skirt at..... \$10.
Plain and tucked with latest flounce.
A bargain Skirt at..... \$12.
Plain taffeta, reduced from \$15.00.

Walking Skirts.

A bargain Skirt at..... \$5.00
Gray and black, latest flounce effect.
A bargain Skirt at..... \$3.95
Gray, blue, black, reduced from \$5.00.

Silk Waists.

A bargain Waist at..... \$4.00
Rose, red, green, blue, tan and black.
A bargain Waist at..... \$4.00
In black, all sizes, reduced from \$5.00.

Silk Eton
Jackets.

A bargain Jacket at..... \$3.
Black taffeta tucked.
A bargain Jacket at..... \$10.
Sailor collar effect, plain or tucked.

Cotton Shirt
Waists.

A bargain Waist at..... 49cts
Colored percale, sizes 32 to 42.
A bargain Waist at..... 69cts
Fast colors, all sizes 32 to 42, worth \$1.00.
A bargain White Waist..... \$1.00
Plain or rows of insertion.

Lawn Wrappers.

A bargain Wrapper at..... 98cts
Pink, blue, lavender striped lawn.
A bargain Wrapper..... \$1.69
Black and white, blue and white corded dimity.
A bargain Wrapper..... 79cts
New calicoes with yoke of white welt.

Dressing Sacques

A bargain Kimono..... \$1.
Figured organdie, a quick seller.
A bargain Sacque..... 50cts
A plain lawn, blue, pink, lavender.
A bargain Sacque..... 69cts
Striped lawn, in all colors.

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